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In Re the Patent Application of:
Cloutier

Group Art Unit: 2663

Serial No.: 09/288,006

Examiner: Ronald B. Abelson

Filed: April 8, 1999

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In Wireless Communication Systems**

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At Page 1, please replace the paragraph headed by "Related Applications" with the following:

-- The present invention is related to U.S. Patent Application No. 09/288, , filed concurrently herewith, entitled INTELLIGENT BURST CONTROL FUNCTIONS FOR WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS, U.S. Patent Application No. 09/288,365, entitled METHOD FOR PREMATURE TERMINATION OF BURST TRANSMISSION IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS filed concurrently herewith, U.S. Patent Application No 09/288,363, entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PREVENTION OF REVERSE JAMMING DUE TO LINK IMBALANCE IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS, filed concurrently herewith, U.S. Patent Application No 09/288,587, entitled BURST DURATION ASSIGNMENT BASED ON FADING

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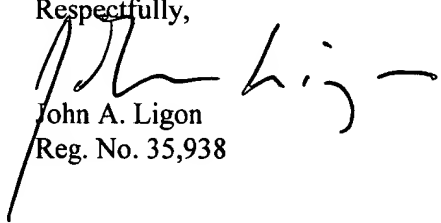
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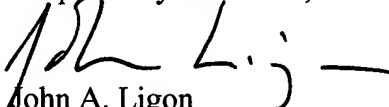
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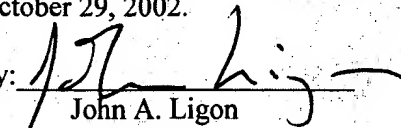
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Respectfully submitted,


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